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IN RE APPLICATION OF: BARTELS ET AL.

APPLICATION No.: 10/826,662

FILED: APRIL 15, 2004

FOR: **HOUSING AND MULTI-PURPOSE CLIP FOR AN
INTERACTIVE PORTABLE DEVICE**

EXAMINER: UNKNOWN

ART UNIT: UNKNOWN

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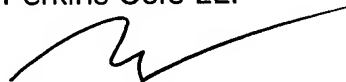
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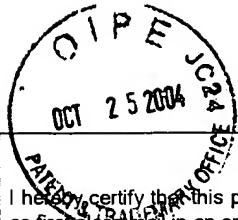


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Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows: